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Transmitted herewith for filing are the following:

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Respectfully submitted,

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REMARKS

Applicant is submitting herewith a Substitute Declaration, identifying this application by title, filing date and serial number. The Substitute Declaration properly claims priority from U.S. Application Serial No. 10/187,611 which was filed on July 3, 2002.

Entry of the Substitute Declaration is respectfully requested.

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DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION AND APPOINTMENT OF ATTORNEY

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that my residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name; I believe that I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention (Design, if applicable) entitled:

METHOD FOR WEAVING DECORATIVE RIBBONS WITH PLASTIC CORDS AND APPARATUS FOR SAME

the specification of which (check one):

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and (if applicable) was amended on:

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-Identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment(s) referred to above. I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Trile 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56. I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code §119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

PRIOR FOREIGN APPLICATION(S)			PRIORITY CLAIMED	
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10/187,611	July 3, 2002	Pending

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